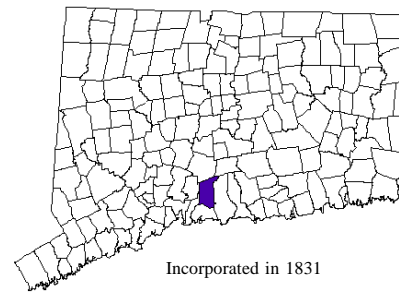


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Incorporated in 1831

Demographics

<i>Population (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	12,996	804,219	3,287,116	White	14,331	711,824	2,997,210
2000	13,906	824,008	3,405,565	Black	190	79,304	266,880
2001	14,623	825,138	3,414,784	Asian Pacific	73	10,584	52,248
2006	15,134	834,574	3,465,947	Native American	15	1,455	6,660
'01-'06 Growth (AAGR)	0.69%	0.23%	0.30%	Hispanic (any race)	278	82,824	318,289
Land Area (sq. miles)	25	606	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	2.0%	7.9%	6.6%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2001)	587	1,362	682	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (2001)	\$30,780	\$28,013	\$32,317	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2001)	5,138	314,465	1,285,210	High School Graduate	3,077	35.5%	648,366
Median Age (2001)	36	36	37	Some College	2,035	23.5%	495,696
				Bachelors or More	2,188	25.3%	597,693
							27.3%
<i>Age Distribution (2001)</i>							
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	460 3%	1,427 10%	565 4%	2,849 19%	1,207 8%	706 5%	7,214
Female	458 3%	1,327 9%	534 4%	3,003 21%	1,234 8%	853 6%	7,409
County Total	52,621 6%	143,398 17%	72,491 9%	309,223 37%	125,417 15%	121,988 15%	825,138
State Total	213,561 6%	597,220 17%	279,666 8%	1,294,651 38%	544,994 16%	484,692 14%	3,414,784

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2001)</i>	<i>% of</i>	<i>% of</i>	<i>Top Five Grand List (2001)</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of</i>
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Emp. Total</i>		<i>Net</i>
Agriculture	34	5.0%	152 3.5%	South Central Regional Water Authority	\$30,095,360 3.54%
Const. and Mining	140	20.6%	524 12.0%	Shoreline Lifecare LLC	\$24,079,910 2.83%
Manufacturing	53	7.8%	1,444 33.2%	Firelight Alarms Inc.	\$10,447,300 1.23%
Trans. and Utilities	32	4.7%	265 6.1%	TilConn	\$6,153,340 0.72%
Trade	167	24.5%	762 17.5%	Totoket Woods	\$4,026,810 0.47%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	32	4.7%	120 2.8%	Net Grand List ()	\$849,876,352
Services	219	32.2%	1,039 23.9%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>	
Government	4	0.6%	45 1.0%	Fire Lite Alarms	Tilcon Connecticut, Inc.
Total	681	100.0%	4,351 100.0%	D& G Sign and Label	Restland Farm Corp.
				Evergreen Woods	
				<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
				<i>Retail Sales (1999)</i>	\$129,618,893 \$76,264,820,474

Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test: Percent Above Goal</i>						
Total Students	1,048	461,203		Grade 4		Grade 6		Grade 8	
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$7,224	\$8,300		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Average Teacher's Salary	\$47,666	\$48,598		Reading	54 55	65 60	65 64		
Students Attending Public School	94.1%	89.2%		Math	62 59	61 59	59 51		
Student/Teacher Ratio	16.0	14.5		Writing	32 46	63 46	58 51		
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	90.2%	75.8%		<i>Average SAT Score</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
High School Dropout Rate	4.3%	4.6%		Verbal		495	503		
<i>Average Class Size</i>				Math		507	499		
Kindergarten 20.0	Grade 2 18.8								
Grade 5 22.0	Grade 7 21.3	High School 20.1							

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Government

Government Form	Council-Manager			Annual Debt Service (1999)	\$2,849,697
				As % of Expenditures	9.8%
Total Revenue (1999)	\$28,904,083	Total Expenditures (1999)	\$28,961,505	Equalized Grand List (2001)	\$1,095,203,328
Tax Revenue	\$18,630,730	Education	\$18,780,433	Per Capita	\$78,128
Non-tax Revenue	\$10,273,353	Other	\$10,181,072	As % of State Average	0.5%
Intergovernmental	\$9,348,337	Total Indebtness (1999)	\$27,876,779	Date of Last Revaluation (2001)	2001
Per Capita Tax (1999)	\$1,329	As % of Expenditures	96.3%	Moody's Bond Rating (1999)	A1
As % of State Average	85.8%	Per Capita	\$1,989	Actual Mill Rate (1999)	28.67
		As % of State Average	144.3%	Equalized Mill Rate (1999)	18.56
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1999)	11.3%

Housing

Housing Stock (1999)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (2000)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	5,100	343,158	1,392,233	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	86.1%	58.2%	63.4%	Less than \$100,000	51	3,449	12,351
New Permits Auth. (1999)	29	2,413	10,794	\$100,001-\$200,000	78	5,858	24,349
As % Existing Units	0.57%	0.70%	0.78%	\$200,001-\$300,000	46	1,752	9,063
Demolitions (1998)	3	626	2,968	\$300,001-\$400,000	2	620	4,013
Residential Sales (2000)	178	12,102	56,032	\$400,001 or More	1	423	6,256
Average Price	\$153,603	\$150,331	\$219,784	1996 Characteristics			
Median Price	\$150,000	\$119,900	\$135,500	Owner Occupied Dwellings	3,924	191,583	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	11.9%	36.0%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	116	42,124	148,930

Labor Force

(2000)	Town	County	State	Commuters (1990)			
Labor Force	8,375	420,463	1,746,503	Commuters into Town from		Town Residents Commuting to	
Employed	8,218	409,831	1,707,150	North Branford	895	New Haven	1,413
Unemployed	157	10,632	39,353	Branford	316	North Branford	895
Unemployment Rate	1.9%	2.5%	2.3%	East Haven	266	North Haven	847
Total Employment	4,870	367,510	1,693,400	Guilford	264	Branford	788
'92-'00 Growth (AAGR)	8.2%	0.9%	1.3%	New Haven	210	Hamden	541
Manufacturing	1,050	58,590	268,400	North Haven	131	Wallingford	344
				Wallingford	106	East Haven	241
				Hamden	88	West Haven	210
				Madison	75	Guilford	196

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (1999)	Town	Residential Utilities
Banks (2000)	6	1,183	Total Volumes	58,800	Electric Provider
Lodging (1998)	1	756	Circulation Per Capita	7.8	The United Illuminating Co.
Day Care Facilities (1999)	12	1,722			(800) 257-0141
Infant Mortality Rate Per 1,000 births (1998)	0.0	7.0	Distance to Major Cities	Miles	Gas Provider
Crime Rate (1999) Per 1,000 Residents	10	33	Hartford	28	Southern Connecticut Gas Company
% Open Land (1990)	65.8%	68.7%	Boston	113	(203) 382-8111
			New York City	78	Water Provider
			Providence	77	South Central CT Regional Water Auth.
Hospitals (1999)	0	7			(203) 562-4020
Total Beds	0	2,487			Cable Provider
					TCI Cablevision of South Central CT
					888-824-2273